

VOLUME XL--NUMBER 1867. THE OLD MAN ELOQUENT.

ELOQUENT AND LOGICAL SPEECH OF REVERDY JOHNSON.

The Position of South Carolina--Her People Desire Peace--A Verdict of Guilty Against the Prisoner.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE NEWS.]

COLUMBIA, S. C., December 18. In the Ku-Klux court to-day the Hon. Reverdy Johnson followed for the defence in the case of the United States vs. Robert Hayes Mitchell. The argument was a masterly effort, such as has not been heard in South Carolina since the days of McDuffie and Calhoun.

In opening his plea, Mr. Johnson reviewed at length the past history of the State. He thanked God for the abolition of slavery, and declared that South Carolina, which fired the first gun of the war, accepted the result in good faith. She did not do what she thought was not right. And her people were now as anxious as any other people for the blessings of peace and prosperity. He said that he had listened with unaltered horror to the tales of outrages told before the court. But no proof had been given of any conspiracy to commit those outrages, or connecting them with the prisoners now on trial for conspiracy. Mr. Johnson then reviewed the evidence in detail, his speech producing a wonderful effect.

There was a large and highly respectable audience, who, for a long time, listened with breathless attention to the "old man eloquent."

The jury, after an absence of thirty-eight minutes, rendered a verdict of guilty on the second count, viz., of conspiracy to injure Jim Williams for having voted at the election of 1870. The counsel for the defence made a motion for a new trial.

PICKET.

ATTORNEY CHAMBERLAIN'S FIASCO.

The Illogical and Distinguished Arguments of the Government Counsel, Mr. Chamberlain, in Reply, Demolishes the Flimsy Fabric of the Prosecution.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.]

COLUMBIA, S. C., December 18.

The interest that has marked the proceedings during the past week in the case of the United States against Robert Hayes Mitchell and which has, day by day, increased as the defence brought to light the true condition of affairs in York County--where it is alleged a conspiracy existed--culminated yesterday, when the summing up of the evidence was commenced.

It was known that the argument would be opened by State Attorney-General Chamberlain, who has been, for some reason, probably best known to himself and Akerman, retained as assistant in the prosecution or persecution, whichever it may most properly be termed.

It was an auspicious day. The monotony of the two branches of the General Assembly had not yet been disturbed by dreams of perdition and millenium, for the moment it seemed that relief was sought in listening to the eloquent orator, who was to champion the rights, in general terms, of somebody who had suffered some wrong through the operation of some imaginary conspiracy. It happened, therefore, that, scattered throughout the large but orderly and attentive audience, were to be seen the faces of many of the present Solons of this once proud State. Various friends of the prisoner, and of the Government, were also present, and with characteristic reverence for judicial erudition, however unworthy worn, sat silent and attentive, and while Mr. Chamberlain's address the most ridiculous suppositions dilated upon.

It was evident at the start, from the very tenor of the argument, that the Government had been a power behind the throne that the most of the listening audience little knew of, and in comparison with which the life or liberty of a citizen of York County was but a drop in the ocean. Political circumstances, by warping the judgment of men, or by deducing from an untoward, and, perhaps, badly conceived plan for a general, good matter upon which to found an apology, had produced the existence of a rotten Government, and a rotten State Government, it was evidently deemed that here was the opportunity, the time, the place, and the men to make the effort.

As the assumed plea for the defendant in this most singular case, the pleadings of the government prosecutor prayed for his conviction of a conspiracy, the definition of which had to be manufactured in the argument, he was obliged to produce the evidence of a rotten Government, and a rotten State Government, it was evidently deemed that here was the opportunity, the time, the place, and the men to make the effort.

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HINTS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

WHERE TO BUY AND WHAT TO GET.

The gift-buyers are now fairly in the market, and King street, from breakfast time till dark, is a moving mass of gay and happy shoppers. Our advertising columns form an excellent holiday directory, and we resume below our notices of the latest advertisers, and shall continue the same from day to day as new advertisements are handed in.

**Diamond Presents.**

Whoever wishes to tempt Dame Fortune to provide him with a magnificent gift, at a merely nominal cost, should by all means inspect the diamonds, gold watches, jewelry and plate to be raffled on Saturday next by the Charleston Charitable Association. These splendid prizes are on exhibition daily at Mr. Skrine's drug store, No. 260 King street. The diamonds consist of sets of ear-rings and brooches, and rings, bracelets, gold watches and opera chains, gentlemen's fine gold watches (stem-winders) and chains. All the goods are warranted to be of the first quality. The diamonds are rich and large, and set in the latest style, and have just been imported for the association by Larmour & Co., of Baltimore. When it is considered that a chance in the scheme in which all these magnificent articles are to be drawn may be had for only one dollar, and that the drawing will positively take place on Saturday next, very few, we fancy, will require a second look at the splendid array of prizes before securing a ticket.

**Good Cheer.**

Tully, the caterer, is a personage whose importance and value in the community can only be properly understood by those who enjoy and appreciate the mysteries and triumphs of the art gastronomic. Especially at Christmas time do his superb cakes, his matchless turkeys, and his unrivalled mince pies loom up in tempting proportions. Whoever distrusts the experience and qualification of his marketman or cook may safely invoke the aid of Tully, in the full confidence that he will thereby get through his Christmas dinner in an eminently satisfactory and creditable manner.

**Xmas Fixings.**

Currants, raisins, jellies, &c., are indispensable at Christmas, and Fitzgibbon, at the corner of King and Cannon streets, is determined not to be surpassed in the quality of his goods nor the scale of prices. To the neck folks his store is most convenient, and it is no longer necessary for the residents of that locality to make a trip down town to secure first-class groceries, as they can be supplied by Fitzgibbon at remarkably low prices.

**The Pipe of Peace.**

"Let us have peace" is the most appropriate thing a man can say, in view of the advent of the holidays, and Schroder, the popular dealer in smokes, holding forth to-day, offers to everybody the "calumet of peace"--a meerschaum pipe, a cigar-holder, a tobacco pouch, a box of cigars or a bale of smoking tobacco; these are some of the things he sells, and either of them would be a glorious present from one young man to another, or from a lady to a gentleman. Schroder keeps the very best in his line, and ladies as well as gentlemen will find him a good man to deal with.

A good place, also, to get anything in the tobaccoist's line is at Lorenz's, corner King and Wentworth streets.

**Furnishing Goods.**

The shirt emporium, advertised so long and successfully by Scott, on Meeting near Market street, has become a fixture of our city, and we cannot do better than call the attention of purchasers at this season of the year to his handsome assortment of gentlemen's furnishing goods. Everything pertaining to a gentleman's wardrobe may be had at this establishment, and at prices quite as favorable as those which are demanded in the City of New York.

**Hats and Caps.**

We take pleasure in inviting all who desire to purchase the latest style of hats and caps to call at Plenge's new establishment, on King street. His importation has been made expressly for the holidays, and will be found to embrace the handsomest head-gear in Charleston.

**Fruit!**

Luscious fruit of all kinds, as well as of every description, are selling by Kluin, in King street. The bananas and oranges make the mouth water, and the figs and raisins are a necessary adjunct to a Christmas dinner.

**Our Christmas Desserts.**

Had every man his deserts South Carolina would be rid of some troublesome people, and the only dessert that we can claim, without fear of the consequences, is that which is furnished by C. Bart & Co. in the shape of bunches of red bananas, coconuts, and pineapples without number.

**Foot Gear.**

"There was an old woman who lived in a shoe," says the nursery rhyme; but to this yarn we can only say, "shoo fly!" When you come to talk of modern boots and shoes, however, we are posted, and always advise such of our friends as want articles in that line to go to Daly's cheap boot and shoe store, No. 121 Meeting street. All kinds of ladies and misses, as well as gentlemen's boots and shoes, can be found here at reasonable prices.

Chase & Cutlino, a new King street firm in the same line, have also an excellent stock of shoes, &c., which deserves the attention of purchasers.

**Santa Claus's Headquarters.**

Von Sauten's Bazaar this year is a veritable wonder, and to the average boy of the period, the immense display of all sorts of toys, made of wood, lead, papier-mache, bisque, glass, brass and what not, with the infinity of forms and colors, presents a bewildering show, little, if any, short of the wonders evoked by the lamp of Aladdin. Little girls can purchase dolls varying in price from one cent to one hundred dollars, and including crying babies, creeping babies, baby's that say "papa!" and "mama!" dolls of china, wax, kid, linen and muslin, with wardrobes, houses and furniture complete. From this stock Christmas trees can be properly furnished with presents at all grades of prices, and curious-looking Christmas men, from the smallest size to the full-grown Santa Claus worth fifty dollars, stand ready to hold the trees with the present-laden boughs.

**Toys and Sweets.**

The toys for the children are, as a matter of course, necessity, and they use them daily until they succeed in using them up most thoroughly. Kinsman Bros. have not only toys, but a splendid assortment of raisins, figs, currants, French and plain candies, torpedoes, fire-crackers, crystallized fruits, and, in fact, everything usually kept in a first-class confectionery.

**Read!**

An immense stock of holiday goods has just been received at J. B. Read's. Nothing can be more acceptable, particularly to the ladies, than a box of Read's best Paris kid gloves, which for years have had the reputation of

IMPEACHMENT OF SCOTT.

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ADOPT THE BOWEN REPORT.

A Long Debate--The Report Charging a Fraudulent Issue of Six Million Bonds Adopted by the House--Bowen Moves the Impeachment of R. K. Scott and Niles G. Parker.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE NEWS.]

COLUMBIA, December 18. The Senate passed the bill to repeal the sterling funding bill, and rejected the following bill: Bill to authorize county treasurers to receive the pay certificates of the General Assembly in payment of taxes due the State; bill to amend the act to regulate the manner of receiving and disbursing funds, and bill to amend an act to fix the salaries and regulate the pay of certain officers.

The House rejected the joint resolution directing the treasurer to pay I. W. Hayne five hundred and fifty dollars, and the bill to increase and define the jurisdiction of the City Court of Charleston.

A debate of four hours followed upon the question of adopting the report of the Bowen committee appointed to inquire into the over-issue of State bonds. The speaker ruled that a two-thirds vote was required for the adoption of the report as the sense of the House, because the adoption of the final recommendation of that report would be the first step towards impeachment. This decision was overruled, and the report was adopted as the sense of the House.

At six o'clock, J. C. Bowen introduced a resolution that R. K. Scott, Governor of the State of South Carolina, be impeached of high crimes and misdemeanors. A similar resolution was introduced for the impeachment of Niles G. Parker, treasurer of the State. These resolutions were laid over under the rules. There was a large crowd in the legislative chamber, and the introduction of the impeachment resolution produced a profound sensation.

PICKET.

THE SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.

Proceedings of Friday, December 15th--Cheering Statements--Resolutions of Thanks to the American Bible Society.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Friday, December 15. The South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, opened pursuant to adjournment, Bishop Paine in the chair. Religious services were conducted by Rev. T. Mitchell.

Rev. H. Wood presented some papers in reference to the Cokesbury school, which were referred to a committee.

Certain documents from the Laurens Quarterly Conference, concerning parsonage property in dispute, were received by the bishop, and also referred to a committee for consideration.

Examination of the character of the preachers of the Spartanburg District was resumed under the able management of Dr. J. E. Williams. The preachers of the Cokesbury District, Rev. H. M. Wood, presiding elder, underwent the usual examination, and were approved.

The venerable names of N. Taylor, J. W. Townsend, S. C. Patterson and D. Derrick, superannuated members of the Conference, were called, and although not present on account of infirmities, information was received that they were well, and hoped to receive their reward in Heaven.

Rev. L. Wood brought to the notice of the body the unusual fact that this Conference during the present ecclesiastical year had not been called to mourn the loss by death of any of its members, or of their wives. By request, the regular business was suspended, and Rev. H. A. C. Walker offered a service of thanksgiving and prayer to God, amid the tears and profound emotion of the preachers and large assembly in attendance.

Bishop Paine resigned the chair to Dr. W. Smith, president of the incorporated Conference, which body was called to order. Reports from the board of managers of the conference were received. Officers elected last year were re-elected. On the adjournment of the legal Conference, the Title Society in connection with the Conference had a meeting.

Addresses were made by Dr. J. E. Williams, setting forth the object of the society, which is to raise a fund, by the payment of one dollar on every hundred dollars of salary received by the preachers, to provide for the gross income of its members, and their widows and children. The officers of the society were re-elected. The committee on nominations announced the Sunday school board, with Dr. J. T. Wrightman as president.

Conferences adjourned to meet at half-past twelve o'clock this afternoon, with closed doors.

**AFTERNOON SESSION.**

After religious exercises, the bishop called for reports from committees.

Rev. R. B. Pegues, chairman of committee on the Bible cause, presented a report. After an address from Rev. Mr. Bolles, the report, with the following resolutions, were adopted: Resolved, That the American Bible Society has been honored of God as an instrument of incalculable good.

Resolved, That we commend to the continued confidence and co-operation of our people the Rev. E. A. Bolles, the long and efficient agent of the A. B. Society for the State of South Carolina.

The remainder of the session was occupied with the consideration of the case of Rev. L. Scarborough, who was, on motion, placed on the superannuated list. Conference then adjourned.

**THE WEATHER THIS DAY.**

WASHINGTON, December 18. The barometer will probably rise during to-night and on Tuesday from the Middle and East Atlantic coast westward to the Mississippi, with partially cloudy and clear weather.

Fresh northwest winds prevail to-night north and east of Virginia, with clearing weather. The storm on the New England coast clearing away to-night, a small area of low barometer, with rain, will develop in Louisiana and Arkansas, and move northward Tuesday in the South Atlantic and Gulf States. Dangerous winds are not anticipated to-night east of the Rocky Mountains, unless possibly, over a small portion of Massachusetts Bay.

**Yesterday's Weather Reports of the Signal Service, U. S. A.--2.47 P. M., Local Time.**

Place of Observation.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Direction of Wind.	Force of Wind.	State of the Weather.
Albany, Ga.	30.27	67	Cal.		Fair.
Baltimore	30.14	47	SW		Fresh.
Boston	29.80	37	Cal.		L. Rain.
Chicago	30.20	43	W		Cloudy.
Cincinnati	30.23	41	N		G. Nite.
Cleveland	30.43	34	SW		Fresh.
Davenport	30.25	38	W		Cloudy.
Dayton	30.25	38	W		Cloudy.
Indianapolis	30.25	38	W		Cloudy.
Knoxville	30.24	38	W		Cloudy.
Memphis	30.24	38	W		Cloudy.
New Orleans	30.25	69	SE		Fresh.
New York	29.98	38	SW		Light.
Norfolk	30.15	38	SW		Light.
Philadelphia	30.25	44	W		Fresh.
Portland	29.99	34	SE		Gentle.
Savannah	30.21	37	W		Light.
St. Louis	30.25	38	W		Fresh.
Washington, D.C.	30.22	47	SW		Fresh.
Wilmington	30.22	39	SW		Fresh.

**NOTE.**--The weather report dated 7.40 o'clock, this morning, will be posted in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce at 10 o'clock A. M., and together with the weather chart, may by the courtesy of the chamber be examined by ship-masters at any time during the day.

"THE NEW MEMBER."

The new members could be distinguished from the old Solons by the conscious air of delegated importance each wore. Your new member is a study. He has new clothes that fit him uncomfortably. He has a new hat that evidently makes his head ache. Every movement is the subject of study and result of a resolution. He says "good-morning" in a solemn and impressive manner, as if announcing a grave proposition, and tells you of the weather in a measured way, as if committing himself to a platform. If he could be caught and searched, a written speech would be found in his coat-tail pocket; that sooner or later he is bent upon delivering, unless he has leave to print.

**Hostetter's Bitters.**

**PERIL AND PRECAUTION.**--This is a season that tells the frame and the constitution. If there be a weak spot in either, the chilling damps, the malarious fogs, the varieties of temperature that mark the commencement of the winter season are sure to find it out. There are few systems that can stand a week's attack where, and the wisest thing that any man or woman can do is to fortify it by a course of HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS, and thus keep the enemy at bay. In war, when a city is menaced, the first thing to be done is to strengthen the ramparts. The same policy should be adopted with the human body, when its direct foe, malaria, is abroad. If the stomach is weak, this tonic will tend to vigor; if the bowels are morbidly sensitive, this alternative will regulate them; if the liver is inert, this wholesome stimulant will rouse it; if there is constipation, this aperient will cure it; if there is nervous debility, this nerve will replace it with nervous vigor; if there is impurity in the blood, this depurative will neutralize it; if there is a cloud on the spirits, this exhilarant will dispel it. These are facts that have been demonstrated every day for the last twenty years. Can much be said for any other medicine? Rather, can as much be proved? For anything can be said by the unscrupulous. Do not accept of any of the local bitters sometimes recommended by dealers in lieu of the Standard Restorative. decd-stub3dac

**Married.**

DEBUSE-MITCHELL--In Ephraim A. M. E. Church, December 15th, 1871, by Rev. Wm. H. Brown, Mr. GEORGE DEBUSE to Miss HENRIETTA MITCHELL, both of this city.

FORD-WHITELEY--On the evening of the 6th instant, by the Rev. W. P. Moulton, L. S. Ford, of this city, and Miss FANNY SCHWAB, eldest daughter of the late Dr. J. F. Whiteley, of Columbia, Ga. No cards.

**Celebrations.**

**CEREMONIES AT THE LAYING OF THE CORNER-STONE OF THE NEW MASONIC TEMPLE.**

The Subordinate Lodges and Chapters will assemble, in Regalia, at Holmes' Lyceum, at 10 o'clock on Wednesday, December 20th, A. M., 1871, for the purpose of erecting the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient-Free Masons of South Carolina.

Presiding Officers are requested to form their Lodges and Chapters, so as to be ready to take their places in line according to the date of charter.

The procession will move at 11 o'clock through King, Calhoun, Meeting and Green streets, to the New Temple, where the Corner-stone will be laid by the Grand Lodge, M. W. W. K. BLAKE, Grand Master, and an address will be delivered by General J. M. KERSHAW, P. M.

The procession will be in charge of Grand Marshal P. K. COBURN, assisted by Bros. SIMMERMAN, DAVIS, J. OGBURN and A. T. SKYTHE. By order of W. E. BLAKE, Grand Master. B. RUSH CAMPBELL, Grand Secretary.

**Boots and Shoes.**

**THE NEW BOOT AND SHOE STORE, OPPOSITE WAVERLY HOUSE.**

I desire to inform my friends that I am no longer to be found at the "Big Boot Store," having associated myself in business with Mr. DAVID S. CUTTING.

We will take great pleasure in having our friends call on us at our NEW ESTABLISHMENT, No. 245 KING STREET, opposite Waverly House, where we have a well selected stock of LADIES' GENTS' MISSES' BOYS' and CHILDREN'S BOOTS and SHOES.

TRUNKS, BAGS, VALISES and SATCHELS. Our country friends will find it to their advantage to examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. Stock replenished weekly.

P. A. CHASE, DAVID S. CUTTING, Formerly with "Big Boot," W. G. Whilden &amp; Co. decd-stub3

**CONFETIONERIES.**

**THE HOLIDAYS.**

**J. C. H. CLAUSSEN'S CHRISTMAS! CHRISTMAS! CHRISTMAS! SUPPLIES HAVE ARRIVED.**

In addition to the following indispensable HOLIDAY GOODS: CONFECTIONERY.

Sugar Plums, Sugar Almonds, Mixed Candies, Rock Candy, Gum Drops, Cinnamon Strings, Cream Bonbons, Caraway Seed, Cream Chocolate Drops, Sugar Almonds, Cream Almonds, Butter Almonds, Conversation Lozenges, Fig Paste, Licorice Drops, Marshmallow Drops, Cordial Drops, Praline Almonds, Fancy Specialties, Cream Dates, Assorted Lozenges, Cream Figs, &c., &c.

Surprise and Cash Boxes of all kinds to retail at 5 cents to \$1 per package, and guaranteed to contain Cash or Prizes.

Assorted Candy, Stick Candy and Fancy Kisses. BISCUITS, CRACKERS, CAKES, &c.

Soda Biscuits, Sugar Crackers, Boston Biscuits, Fancy Crackers, Cream Biscuits, Lemon Crackers, Egg Biscuits, Ginger Crackers, Wine Biscuits, Novelty Crackers, Fancy Sugar Biscuits, Oyster Crackers, Lemon Biscuits, Picnic Crackers, Assorted Biscuits, Reform Crackers, Milk Biscuits, Union Crackers, Jumbles, Mixed Cakes, Tea Cakes, Christmas Cakes, Sugar and Molasses Gingers and Sheet Cakes. Merchants from the country will save money, time and disappointment by calling soon ordering their orders, which will meet prompt and careful attention.

J. C. H. CLAUSSEN, No. 10 Market street. CHRISTMAS TREES SUPPLIED GRATIS AS USUAL. decd-stub3

**A. SACHTELEBEN'S MALE ACADEMY, NO. 44 BEAUFORT STREET.**

The second grade of the present session of the subscriber's school will commence on the 16th instant.

From the first of January next, Mr. JOSEPH P. CALDWELL will assume charge of the Mathematical Department. A. SACHTELEBEN, decd-stub3